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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Applicant hereby requests a 1 month extension of time within which to file a response to the Examiner's Final Action dated 7/30/2001. Enclosed is our check for \$55 in payment of the required fee for extension.

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